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Fall Styles---What to Wear This Fall What Color? What Cloth? What Style? Let Us Help You Decide

We guarantee that every garment purchased of us is as good as you can buy for the same amount at any store. We might go further and say that customers tell us every day that no other store offers garments as desirable for prices as low as ours.

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THE BEAUTIFUL NEW FALL AND EARLY WINTER WAISTS

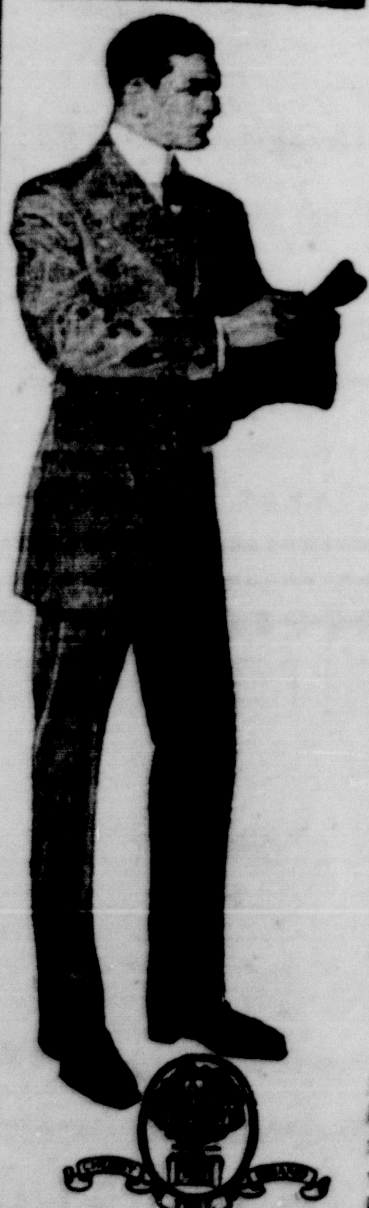
We are showing many new, handsome models, all attractively priced. They are at the same time exceedingly practical. The woman who wants the best value in a Fall Waist should choose from this collection. All splendid values...**\$75c to 7.50**



DRESS GOODS New Dress Goods For Autumn

Fashion's complete message of what is to be worn by well dressed women in every assemblage this Autumn and Winter. Weave after weave, tone after tone, tell the story of preparedness and supremacy, and no woman need turn away from our present display feeling at a loss regarding what to choose now or later for the Fashionable Dress, Suit, Skirt or Coat. Our prices are most reasonable.

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We Offer You Beautifully Hand-Tailored All Wool "Kirschbaum" Suits in all Colors and Styles, at From \$15.00 to \$25.00

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Time for Boys' New Fall Hats

And here's the largest, best, smartest, most attractive collection we have ever had.....**50c**
See our large assortment of Caps in all styles, shapes and colors.

Men's New Fall Hats

Don't overlook getting your Fall Hat this week. We offer for your selection a varied assortment of swagger styles in all the new shapes and color tones. **STETSONS AT \$4 TO \$10, CHAMOIS AT \$3.00, EXTRA VALUE AT \$2.00 AND \$2.50.**

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You can exchange these Premium Tickets in our Premium Department from a splendid array of excellent articles which at retail would cost anywhere from 5c to \$5.00.

This feature of our business is absolutely free to everybody without exception.

BLANKETS and QUILTS

The cool nights find our big department of Blankets and Quilts stocked to over-flowing with a magnificent showing of beautiful soft, wooly and cotton blankets of every grade and at every price, from the most inexpensive cotton to the very best of wool blankets made. You can have no Blanket or Quilt needs which can not be supplied from this splendid department to your lasting satisfaction and economy.

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And Sweaters Feel Good

these "snappy" mornings. There will be but very few mornings from now until Spring that a Sweater Coat will come amiss. We are better prepared this Fall to take care of your Sweater needs than ever before, and can give you any style your fancy craves. Full line of Ladies', Misses', Children's, Men's and Boys' Sweaters at all prices.

Shoes For The Entire Family

Autumn has come and the cool weather will soon be here. It's now time to change one's shoes. Our store is the place where the best, the newest and the latest boots and shoes are to be found at the least prices. The freshest designs, the up to the day and hour creations. Heavy and light walking shoes for Men and Women, Shoes for the Girls and Boys for Dress and School wear---Shoes for the Entire Family. Beauty, Comfort, Service and Small Cost all combined. For whatever purpose you may require boots or shoes we have them at **THE VERY LOWEST PRICES.**



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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1912.

Lacoste Laconics.

BY BLUE BELLE.

EDITOR ANVIL HERALD:—

Jac. Biediger and son, Max, were business visitors in San Antonio Tuesday.

Chas. Marty shipped the hides Tuesday which he purchased from E. F. Hilliard.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenfield and daughters, Jennie and Alma, left for Schulenberg Saturday where Miss Jennie will attend school. Mr. Greenfield returned Sunday, while Mrs. Greenfield will visit a few days.

Mrs. Joe Tschirhart Sr. and daughter, Mrs. Val Mangold, of Noonan spent Thursday here visiting Mrs. Theresa Mangold.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Keller were San Antonio visitors Thursday.

Foster Crane transacted business in San Antonio the middle of the week.

Messrs. Adolph Tschirhart and Hermann Bippert of Biomedina were here Saturday.

Mrs. McVay and little daughter of New Braunfels spent the past week with Mrs. Blackwell at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hilliard and son, Oran, were business visitors in Castroville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. S. Tripp of MacDona were pleasant visitors here Thursday.

Mrs. Matt. Jungmann of Potranco was shopping here last week.

Misses Martha and Meda Bippert, two popular young belles of this place, were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

This section was blessed with a slow, soaking three-inch rain Saturday morning which was of great benefit to everybody.

A Mexican child died near town Saturday and was laid to rest in the Castroville cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Margaret Hochheimer has returned to her home at Laredo after a week's stay with her daughter, Mrs. S. F. Silver.

Wm. Lensen of Austin spent a few days here with his cousin, Mrs. S. F. Silver.

Mr. Saddle of New Braunfels was here on business Thursday.

Postmaster A. E. Jungmann and Editor Thorp were Castroville business visitors this week.

Frank West and Mr. Brooks went to San Antonio Saturday.

Miss Theresa Hertzling returned to her home at Del Rio Sunday after a week's stay with her friend, Miss Mary Hawkes. She was accompanied home by Fred Hawkes who will remain for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Silver, Miss Mamie Reicherzer and Geo. Christilles autoed to Cyphon No. 1 Sunday and reported a delightful trip.

Master Arthur Biediger visited in San Antonio Sunday.

Miss Lucy Crane was a pleasant visitor in San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger and Wm. Jungmann autoed to San Antonio Monday.

Miss Nora Rihn of Spindletop is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Ambrose Zimmermann.

Miss Paulina Pranger and brother, Henry, left for Yorktown to visit their sister.

Alfred Mangold made his usual trip to Cliff Sunday.

Chas. Hitzfelder died at his home near here at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon after a lingering illness. The remains were laid to rest in the Castroville cemetery Sunday afternoon. Rev. Father Lenzen performed the last sad rites. Deceased was in his 63rd year at the time of his demise. He is survived by a widow, five sons and one daughter and a large number of other near and dear relatives to mourn his untimely demise. The deceased was a member of St. Louis Society which attended the funeral in a body. A large assemblage of mourning relatives and friends followed the remains to their last resting place. The grief-stricken family has the sympathy of this entire community.

E. F. Hilliard made a business trip to Fort Worth this week.

A grand church bazaar will be given at St. Mary's church on Oct. 6, 1912. Amusements of all kinds, base ball, foot races, etc. A fine band will furnish the music during the day. Come one, come all and help a good cause.

The new drug store next to the bank was completed by Contractor Reymann Saturday. On Monday Mr. Dickey took charge of same and is now ready for business.

Mrs. W. R. Blackwell is on the sick list this week.

Sept. 24, 1912.

Sabinal Siftings.

From The Sentinel:

Miss Laura Reinhart went to Hondo Saturday night to take in the Carnival. Her brother, Mr. F. J. Reinhart, returned home with her and spent Sunday with the homefolks.

Mr. Joe Richarz and wife returned Wednesday from Hondo on their way home to Con Can.

Mr. F. J. Reinhart, a son of Mr. Jacob Reinhart, is visiting the homefolks this week. He has been in Mexico for several years. He says that conditions are getting worse all the time in Mexico and that he doesn't intend going back until the revolution is over.

Our Sabinal base ball teams won out at the Fair at Hondo last week. The first team won the loving cup at Monday's game by a score of 7 to 3. The Junior team won Saturday by a score of 12 to 3.

Rev. Dillinger preached at Hondo Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Monier went home with her father, Mr. Leighton, last week to spend a few weeks. She has been very ill but is now improving.

Mrs. Franks, who has been nursing Fred Monier, returned to San Antonio Saturday night. Mr. Monier is considered out of danger.

Antoine Deloria, Postmaster at Garden, Mich., knows the exact facts when he speaks of the curative value of Foley Kidney Pills. He says: "From my own experience I recommend Foley Kidney Pills, as a great remedy for kidney trouble. My father was cured of kidney disease and a good many of my neighbors were cured by Foley Kidney Pills."—W. H. Windrow.

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Cooler with the rains causing Rheumatic pains. Hunt's Lightning Oil stops all aches and pains whether from Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cuts, Burns or Bruises. The Quickest Liniment known. 25 and 50c bottles. All Druggists.

When a man is down and out his friends are soon up and away.

The Anvil Herald and the Confederate Veteran will be sent for \$1.75 per annum. If you have not seen The Veteran, write to Nashville, Tenn., for a sample copy, then subscribe through this office.

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Some Choice Business and Residence lots in Lacoste for sale for \$125.00 per lot and up. If you have the money and mean business write or call on either member of the Hondo Land Co., Hondo, Texas.

And the Lord also helps those who help others.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT of Medina County, 38th JUDICIAL DIST. OF TEXAS, J. C. Calk, The State of Texas,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County—GREETING:

You Are Hereby Commanded, that by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Medina, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 38th judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 38th judicial district, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon J. C. Calk, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Medina at the court house thereof, in Hondo, Texas, on the 8th Monday after the 1st Monday in September, 1912, the same being the 28th day of October, 1912, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1912, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1679, wherein Mattie Calk is plaintiff and said J. C. Calk is defendant. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit: That she is a bona fide resident of the State of Texas and has resided in Medina County for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit, and defendant's residence is unknown. That plaintiff and defendant were legally married on or about the 14th day of March, A. D. 1910, in Devine, Medina County, Texas, and that said marriage relations still exist. That they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 17th day of March, 1910. That plaintiff during the time she lived and cohabited with defendant conducted herself with propriety and at all times treated her husband, the defendant, with kindness and forbearance, but that defendant, disregarding the solemnity of his marriage vow and his obligation to treat plaintiff with kindness and attention, within one day after his marriage to plaintiff commenced a course of unkind, harsh and tyrannical conduct toward her which continued until the left and separated from plaintiff on or about March 17, 1910. That on divers occasions while plaintiff lived with defendant he was guilty of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages toward her of such a nature as to render their living together insupportable. That on or about the 17th day of March, 1910, at their home in Devine, Texas, defendant cursed and abused plaintiff, and, among other things, called her a damned old liar, and drew a gun on her and told her that if she did not pay his debts he would kill her. That the defendant is a man of violent passions and ungovernable temper and that on several occasions during the time plaintiff lived with him defendant addressed to her the most opprobrious epithets and threats of personal violence and repeatedly threatened to take her life. Plaintiff alleges that defendant's actions and conduct toward her are of such a nature as to render their future living together as husband and wife insupportable.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the Court that defendant be cited, by publication, to appear and answer herein and for judgment dissolving said marriage relations, for costs of suit and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and equity, that she may be justly entitled to.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Hondo, Texas, this, the 4th day of September, A. D. 1912. Issued same day.

[L. S.] AUGUST KEMPF, Clerk District Court, Medina County, Texas.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Tax Assessor.

To the Voters of Medina County:

Thanking you for the honors you have conferred upon me in the past and assuring you that if again favored by you I shall in the future as in the past give my very best efforts to the discharge of the duties of the office, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County and respectfully ask for the support and the votes of all voters for the same at the ensuing November election.

Respectfully,

H. B. TAYLOR.

For County Clerk.

To the Voters of Medina County:

Thanking you for the honors you have conferred upon me in the past and assuring you that if again favored by you I shall in the future as in the past give my very best efforts to the discharge of the duties of the office, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk of Medina County and respectfully ask for the support and the votes of all voters for the same at the ensuing November election.

Respectfully,

S. A. JUNGMAN.

For Sheriff

We are authorized to announce

Joe F. Bader

as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County at the November election.

For Tax Collector.

We are authorized to announce

JOE NEY

as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Collector of Medina County, at the November election.

For County Judge

Thanking the voters of Medina County for past favors I again announce as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Medina County at the next November election and kindly ask your support and vote for said office.

H. E. HAAS.

For District Clerk

We are authorized to announce

AUG. KEMPF SR.

as a candidate for re-election to the office of District Clerk of Medina County at the November election.

For County Attorney

We are authorized to announce

RALPH J. NOONAN

as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Attorney of Medina County at the November election.

For County Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce

L. E. HEATH

as a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer of Medina County, at the November election.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction.

We are authorized to announce

W. N. SAATHOFF

as a candidate for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County, at the November election.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1

To the Voters of Medina County:

Thanking you for your support in the past and pledging a faithful discharge of the duties of the office in the future as in the past I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election, and solicit the votes and support of all voters for the same.

Respectfully,

B. H. BRUCKS.

To the Public,— Having been solicited by numerous friends to run for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, I hereby announce for the same and solicit your vote and support at the November election.

Respectfully,

B. C. WIEMERS.

For Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce

A. M. LAMM

as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1 at the November election.

For Constable, Prec. No. 1.

We are authorized to announce

JIM HALL

as a candidate for the office of Constable of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For Public Weigher

We are authorized to announce

H. H. CROW

as a candidate for re-election to the office of Public Weigher for Hondo Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce

JOE HUESER

as a candidate for the office of Public weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

Cold Blooded and Death Dealing

Chills: Rev. James Reed, Gainesville, Texas, wrote: "I have used your Cheatham's Chill Tonic in my family and can recommend it to everyone affected with Chills and Fever. It cured when various other remedies failed." As a tonic for invalids and feeble persons it has no equal. Any one buying this medicine and not pleased with it will get their money back on request. Price 50c. Sold by all dealers. Prepared only by A. E. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

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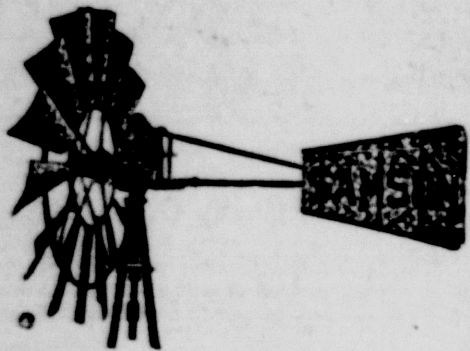
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This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,

ED H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

Hon. D. H. Fly of Hondo, was in our little town on legal business Monday.

A working man on one of M. V. Irr. Co's Flumes fell from a thirty foot scaffold, and was severely bruised Monday evening.

Dr. John T. FitzSimon was an Alamo City business visitor the middle of the week.

Mueller Bros., proprietors of the Castroville Bakery, were also San Antonio business visitors Wednesday.

Louis Scherrer, Manager of Courand Co's Big Store, made a flying business trip to San Antonio Thursday morning, returning in the evening.

H. V. Haass Jr. returned from a pleasure trip to Dallas the middle of the week.

Ernest Greven, the jolly representative of the Schober Ice & Brewing Co. of San Antonio, and also a Mr. Beck, representing the Blue Ribbon Beer, were mingling with the boys here Thursday.

Ernest Thorp, Business Manager of The Medina Valley Herald, A. E. Jungmann, Post Master, and E. F. Hilliard, Butcher of Lacoste, were all business visitors at Castroville Friday.

Another pleasant dance was enjoyed at Wernette's Opera House by our young folks on Thursday night. A heavy electrical storm passed over this Section early Friday morning according to estimate about one inch of rain fell but was not general. We learn that two or three Telephone posts were struck just west of town. The rain was heavier down on Lower Medina.

We were indeed sorry to learn of

A Certain Shot on Chills

I have been using your Cheatham's Chill Tonic in my family for sometime and can say it is a certain shot on Chills, says J. B. Blackshear, Lewisville, La. Money promptly refunded if it fails to cure, Price 50c. Sold by all dealers. An excellent tonic for invalids and feeble persons. Prepared only by A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

The professional humorist was inspecting bargain lots at Swamp-hurst.

"An optician is going to put up a building here," announced the real estate agent. "Ah, that's a site for sore eyes," exclaimed the professional humorist, blushing vividly.

What We Never Forget

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The weakest sometimes carry around the biggest opinions of themselves.

Despondency

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the sad death of John Cruseturner of Hondo. Our acquaintance with deceased was only shortlived but we had certainly learned to respect him as a perfect gentleman. He counted his friends by scores down here. May he rest in peace.

The death bell tolled at St. Louis Church late Saturday evening announcing the demise of Charles Hitzfelder an aged and respected Citizen of Lacoste neighborhood. His remains were brought to Castroville Sunday afternoon and laid to rest at St. Louis Cemetery, escorted by a large Cortège of mourning relatives and friends. The St. Louis Society of which deceased was a member, attended the funeral in a body. Rev. Father Lenzen performed the last sad rites. We join in sympathy with the bereaved and grief stricken ones.

A number of our young folks attended a dance at Riomedina Saturday night.

Emil Kauffmann of Haby Settlement was sporting a new Ford around our little town Sunday.

A pleasant birthday party was tendered Miss Viola Kreisle at her parent's home, the occasion being the young lady's twenty second anniversary. Games, Music and singing were the evening's diversions and Ice cream Lemonade and fine cake were served. Those present were all well pleased with their evening's enjoyment and upon departure all joined in wishing Miss Viola many happy returns of her natal day.

A. M. Christilles spent the past week at Devine and Biry. Castroville 9, 23, 12.

W. A. Smith, Bridgeton, Ind., had kidney trouble for years, and was so crippled with rheumatism he could not dress without help. He started using Foley Kidney Pills, and says: "I began to get better at once, and now all my trouble has left me and I do not feel that I ever had rheumatism. I rest well all night and tho' 59 years old, can now do the work of a man of 35 years. I would like to be the means of others getting benefit from Foley Kidney Pills." Refuse substitutes.—W. H. Windrow.

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D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

The High School of D'Hanis opened on Monday 16th, with a large attendance. Professor Williams with his assistant, Miss Lola Stewart, are looking forward to one of the most successful years for the D'Hanis High school. And in the interests of this feel that they will be aided by all of the parents of the community. Prof. is delighted with our part of the State.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Koch and son, Louis and daughter, Miss Clara, left Sunday night for San Antonio where Louis will have an operation performed upon his eye.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Rahm and child after a five weeks visit to the Dr's. old home in Kentucky returned home on last Wednesday night.

Miss Amanda Tondre after a short visit here to her cousin, Miss Clara Zinsmeyer returned to her home in Marion on last Sunday morning.

Mr. Fred Reinhart of Mexico, son of Mr. Jac. Reinhart of Sabinal, spent a few days here last week among relatives and friends and left for Sabinal on Sunday last.

Mr. Frank Huegele left Tuesday morning for Hondo to bring back a galvanized tank that was made by Kilborn and Lee for Mr. J. H. Sparks to be placed on his ranch a few miles from D'Hanis.

Mrs. Caroline Brotze left Tuesday morning for San Antonio to visit Mrs. Reinhart who has been very sick in that city. We are glad to report that she is recovering and will soon be at home in Sabinal.

Mr. Henry Barth left Sunday evening for Sabinal where he has accepted a position at that place.

Miss Mattie Tant who was here visiting Miss Etta Ney left Friday morning to visit the homefolks at Utopia.

Miss Theresa Wolff who has been visiting in San Antonio for the past week returned home on Tuesday last.

Mrs. Mary Postert was a visitor to Hondo Tuesday morning.

Mr. F. J. Carle left Tuesday morning for San Antonio on business.

Mr. Paul Reinhart, the manager and proprietor of the Telephone Exchange here, has installed three new Phones within the past week.

Miss Marie Wallrath returned to her home at Cibola after a month's visit at the home of Chas. Wallrath, her brother.

Mrs. Ed. Poerner was summoned to the bedside of her sick mother on Monday last at Castroville.

Prof. H. S. Roller left Sunday night for Lacoste where he has been employed to teach this year.

Mrs. Joe Sauter and daughters, Misses Della and Edna left on Wednesday morning for a visit to San Antonio.

Mr. J. M. Koch was a business visitor to San Antonio on Wednesday morning.

Mr. Joe Karrer was in Hondo Wednesday on business.

Mr. Reily Carle made a flying trip to San Antonio on Sunday last.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Zinsmeyer in honor of Miss Amanda Tondre of Marion, Texas, who has been here visiting her cousin, Miss Clara Zinsmeyer.

Mr. John Boog left last Sunday morning for Mustang Prairie where he has been employed to teach this year. Messrs. C. M. Williams and C. F. Luckenbach were in San Antonio last Thursday on business.

Mr. Pete Saathoff one of our most popular young men was married at San Antonio on September 12th to Miss Anna Hunnam a beautiful and accomplished young lady of the Alamo city. The ceremony was performed by the Reverend T. C. Long at the South Side Baptist Church. Mr. Joe Rudinger of this place acted as best man for the groom while the bride was attended by her sister, Miss Ethel.

The wedding was a quiet affair only the immediate family and a few friends attending.

The happy couple having returned to the old Saathoff Ranch where they will reside.

Mother of Eighteen Children.

"I am the mother of eighteen children and have the praise of doing more work than any young woman in my town," writes Mrs. C. J. Martin, Boone Mill, Va. "I suffered for five years with stomach trouble and could not eat as much as a biscuit without suffering. I have taken three bottles of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and am now a well woman and weigh 168 pounds. I can eat anything I want to and as much as I want and feel better than I have at any time in ten years. I refer to anyone in Boone Mill or vicinity and they will vouch for what I say." Chamberlain's Tablets are for sale by All Dealers.

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Oh, if I were the velvet rose
Upon the red rose vine
I'd climb to touch his window
And make his casement free.

AND if I were the little bird
That twitters on the tree,
All day I'd sing my love for him
Till he should harken me.

BUT, since I am a maiden,
I go with downcast eyes,
And he will never hear the songs
That he has turned to sighs.

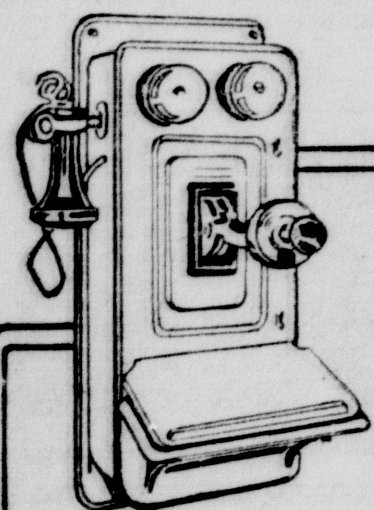
AND, since I am a maiden,
My love will never know
That I could kiss him with a mouth
More red than roses here.
—Sara Tensdale.

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Volume 1, No 1, of the San Marcos Record, a new weekly paper published at San Marcos by Staples & Autry, has been received. From the volume of home advertising contained in the first issue it would appear that the Record has found a home among a live set of business men who appreciate a live newspaper.

THE Rockport Tribune thinks we are asleep because we said a steamer took a cargo of freight at Aransas Pass when it actually took the cargo at Port Aransas, six miles further in. The Tribune is too squeamish. The vessel had to enter at Aransas Pass and a little matter of six miles of wharfage will cut no figure soon after the Panama Canal is completed and all of the Texas coast country comes into its own.



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Martin, Inabnit & Company
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HONDO has no more dirty linen to wash than has the average town of its size, we presume; but probably the best opening for an industrial enterprise afforded by Hondo at the present time is the opening here for a steam laundry. The weary housewife who must both beg and pay the wash lady for having her laundering done now would welcome it as a blessing, and if one can be operated at a profit and do the work at a reasonable figure such an enterprise would pay well here.

THE high schools, colleges and universities of the future will be more trade or vocational institutions than they are at the present time. The educational training in the future will be aimed at the preparation of the student for his life's work. This will be a revolution of the present system, but a revolution in educational methods is now being gradually brought about, but it has only begun. The educational institution of the future will continue to do much of the work that is now being done in high schools, colleges and universities, but much that is now being done in these institutions will be abandoned, and new curricula with entirely different aims in view will be substituted for the ones now in use. —Lockhart Register.

BETTER roads and better schools for the rural districts form a part of all discussions looking to the future prosperity and development of our State. During the last two decades there has been considerable migration of the rural population to the towns and cities, in this and other states. The only way to check this movement is to make life in the rural districts more desirable. Good roads and good rural schools will help to retard the movements to the towns and with other movements to better rural conditions

will make country life more desirable than urban life. Progress in agricultural methods and more of the conveniences of life in the country will keep the people on the farm and do more to solve the problem of the high cost of living than any direct legislation on the subject can possibly accomplish. —Lockhart Register.

THE Anvil Herald has preached in season and out of season the importance of having Hondo High school affiliated with the higher institutions of learning in the state so that pupils going from our school to these higher institutions would experience no greater break in their course of study by such a step than the child experiences in going from one grade to another in the school. Besides being of inestimable value to those so fortunate as to be able to go on in the completion of their education at these higher institutions, it would make for thoroughness in our school, thereby meaning the best training possible for those whose schooling must cease with the completion of the High School course. It is, therefore, a source of no small pleasure to the Anvil Herald to be able to announce that the Mothers of Hondo have awakened to the advantages as well as the possibility of such affiliation and have set themselves to the laudable task of removing the last barrier that remains in the way—the lack of sufficient apparatus in the school. The Mothers Club is circulating a subscription list to secure sufficient funds to purchase such apparatus as is essential to so complete and round out the High School course as to make our school eligible for affiliation. What the Club fails to secure by subscription it purposes to borrow on its own account so that the purchase of the needed supplies will not be delayed. This last resort ought not to be and it will not if all who should have the interest of the school at heart will do what they can in the way of a subscription. Do your duty by your school and let Hondo have a school that means all a school can give to those who are to be its pupils.



Fall and Winter

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Killian and Carter

J. W. Cruseturner Dead.

The town was shocked early Saturday morning as the news spread that Mr. J. W. Cruseturner had been struck by lightning and instantly killed at his home in the north east part of town during the progress of the electrical storm that visited our town about four o'clock that morning.

Mr. Cruseturner had been sleeping on the gallery of his house. Upon the approach of the storm he moved his bedding into the house and stepped back on the gallery to get a drink of water at the hydrant. He did not return, and upon his failure to answer his wife's calls she went to look for him. She found him lying dead underneath the hydrant where he had fallen, struck dead by a bolt of lightning while evidently in the act of drinking. The bolt had struck him about the head and shoulders, producing instant death. The bolt set fire to his clothing and scorched him about the neck and breast, but the water pouring from the hydrant extinguished the fire.

Medical aid was summoned but to no avail, and after an inquest by Justice of the Peace A. M. Lamm, the body was prepared for burial and shipped to his former home at Martindale Saturday evening for interment. The remains were accompanied by the family and an escort from the local lodge of Woodmen of the World of which order deceased was a member. The remains were laid to rest Sunday and the bereaved family returned to their home here Tuesday morning.

The deceased was a well-to-do farmer, about forty-four years old. He had resided here five or six years, having moved here from Martindale. He leaves a widow and four children, three boys and a girl, to mourn his sad and untimely death.

The same bolt of lightning that killed Mr. Cruseturner ignited the house where it struck, but the fire was extinguished before it made any headway.

The Anvil Herald joins in the general sympathy for the bereaved ones.

Fire At Hondo Gin & Milling Co. Plant.

During the electrical storm last Friday night, lightning is supposed to have struck the brick building, formerly occupied by the electric light plant, at the Hondo Gin & Milling Co. plant and set fire to its contents, a lot of mixed feed, hay, etc., that was stored therein.

Members of the family discovered the fire about four o'clock Saturday morning, while the storm was on, and an alarm was turned in. The Hondo Volunteer Fire Co. and numerous citizens responded and after much labor extinguished the flames after about \$150 damage had been done to the building and contents. The fire was in a quantity of unbaled hay and was difficult to get to. But for the fact that it was in an almost airtight brick building the building and all its contents would probably have been destroyed.

As a mark of appreciation for the services of the Hondo Volunteer Fire Co. in saving his property Mr. Muenink presented the company with \$25.00 which will be spent for needed supplies and for which he has the thanks of the company.

Mothers' Club Meeting.

The Mothers' Club met at the high school building Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

President Hudspeth called the house to order.

The secretary having left the city, a secretary pro tem was appointed.

Ten members were present and six new members were enrolled.

The assessment of \$1.00 per member was discussed and a motion carried to discard all dues except the ten cents per member to be paid the National Congress of Mothers.

Supt. Harris urged the need of apparatus for the school looking forward to affiliation with the University and also to the prospect of having a Summer Normal at Hondo.

Mesdames Hudspeth and Monkhouse were asked to solicit funds for the apparatus.

Mrs. L. J. Brucks was elected recording secretary.

Supt. Harris will arrange to entertain the Club at the next meeting as the Year Books have not been printed.

Paint?

There are two good reasons for painting often-enough or even too-often. One, to look prosperous; two to be so.

Nothing does one more credit or gives one more credit than paint, supplemented of course by what goes with it; and paint costs nothing.

True, the first cost is \$5 or \$6 a gallon put-on; but it saves more than that in the property; saves it from slow going down—not always slow—it drops with a jump when water gets in on wood and iron.

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Yours for business,
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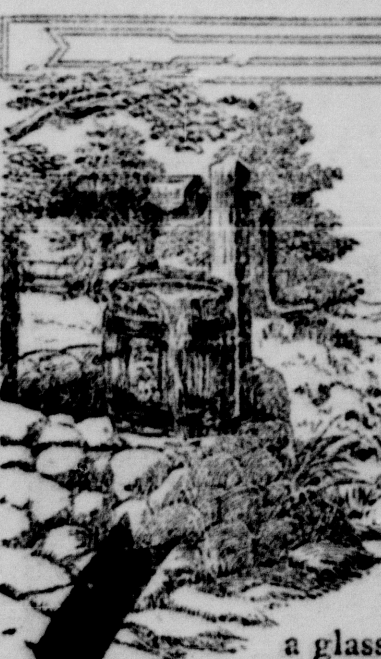
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Whimsical Fate

How It Blocked One Man's Career and Advanced Another's

By F. A. MITCHEL

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One morning Colonel Gustave Garnier of the French—th curassiers having been invited to breakfast with his brigade commander, General Marchand, at his headquarters near Paris, the two sat down together in the general's breakfast room.

"I am sorry, colonel," said the general, "that I can give you nothing heartier than eggs. My cook tells me there has been an error in supplying the larder."

Colonel Garnier failed to repress a look of disappointment, or, rather, repulsion.

"You do not eat eggs?" asked the general.

"No, general, I do not. But I see quite enough else on your table upon which to make an excellent breakfast."

They had finished their repast, lavaged their fingers and lips and wiped them



"THAT ONE IS BAD," I SAID.

with their napkins when, lighting a cigarette, Colonel Garnier asked:

"Would you like to know why I do not eat eggs, general?"

"I would," replied the general, looking at his subordinate curiously.

"There is a story connected with my distaste for them. When I was young I was extremely fond of eggs. I was very particular as to the time an egg should be boiled. Three and a half minutes was the interval I required between putting the egg into boiling water and taking it out."

"Well, when I was graduated from the military school I was picked out by my classmates as one of our number who would surely make his mark. It was predicted that at thirty-five I would surely be a general of division and at forty would command a corps d'armee."

The colonel paused, took a few puffs at his cigarette and said in a melancholy tone:

"I am fifty and still a colonel."

"Nevertheless a fine officer," remarked the general sympathetically.

The Franco-Prussian war came on immediately after my graduation. My division was on detached service in an exposed position between the French and Prussian armies. One morning when I was in command of a picket post a strapping girl dressed in the French peasant costume of jaunty cap, short skirt and sabots approached me. On her arm she carried a basket containing butter, cheese and eggs. She said in excellent French—too good French for a peasant—that she lived on a farm within our lines and wished to sell us her produce.

The eggs tempted me. I agreed to buy half a dozen—all I could take care of while on duty—taking them out of the basket and holding them up to the light, which I always did before using eggs to test them. The girl held one end of the basket toward me, from which I took the eggs, but on coming to the fifth I reached for one at the other end. Looking through it I could see no light.

"That one is bad," I said, putting it back in its place.

"Monsieur should take those at the other end of the basket. They are for officers. These are for the men. You will find that one very fresh," handing me an egg.

"That one will do." The girl walked away, I looking at her as she receded. It seemed to me that her gait was peculiar. At any rate, I never saw a woman with a stride like that. But many of the peasant women in France, as you know, generally do so much field work that except for their petticoats they may well be taken for men.

"I had a friend on the staff, Lieutenant Antoine Ducat, who rode up to my tent that evening while I was cooking the eggs. I invited him to sup with me, and he accepted. At headquarters they had not been able to secure fresh supplies, and Ducat enjoyed the eggs so well that when he returned to the general he told of the feast of which

he had partaken. Then came an orderly to ask where I had procured the eggs. I told of the girl who had sold them to me, and the general sent his aide, his orderlies and his escort flying all over the limited region we occupied with orders to find the farm and the girl. Each and every one returned with the information that there was no dairy farm within the picket lines and the girl could not be found.

"I received a summons to report in person at headquarters, and the general questioned me and cross-questioned me, making me very uncomfortable. He even got out of me the fact that I had tried to look through one of the eggs and found only darkness."

"Was it the same woman as the others?" asked the general.

"I could detect no difference."

"Are you sure the girl was not a man in girl's clothes?"

"I remembered her walk and hesitated."

"Come, out with it. You suspect that she was?"

"She had a man's stride."

"That will do. By your stupidity you have permitted a spy to pass through our lines and become acquainted with our weakness. Besides, there are small bodies of Prussians on every side of us. If we had not them so separated that they can't communicate, by a concerted movement they could crush us."

"But, general," I protested, "the people hereabout are all French and loyal. This girl spoke excellent French."

"Peasants do not speak excellent French," he replied impatiently. "That will do; you may go."

"I had hardly left his headquarters before a flag of truce was announced waiting without the picket line for admission. Its commandant was taken to the general and presented a demand for our capitulation. He told our general just what forces were in our vicinity and that they had every road by which we might escape occupied. By concerted action, which had been agreed upon, they could capture us."

"Our general declined to surrender, and at midnight we made a dash for escape. Nearly half of our number were killed or wounded. I tried my best to get shot, for I felt sure I had by my stupidity permitted a spy to walk from one Prussian force straight through our lines to another bearing a communication and the news of our weakness. But though I exposed myself while the fighting was most desperate I was not even scratched."

"The remnant of our force surrendered, and the next morning, having stacked our arms, we were marched before the Prussian generals who had combined for our destruction. An aid on the staff of one of them, coming up to me with a leer on his face, said in the same excellent French the peasant girl had used:

"Hello, comrade. What's the price of eggs today?"

"Ah," I replied, "you are the peasant girl who sold me those eggs. Was there a message in the one I tried to look through?"

"Indeed there was, and your getting hold of it, I feared, would undo me. Had you held on to that egg you would not now have been here and I would have swung at the end of a rope."

"It weighed the same as the others."

"Said that."

"Where did you learn French?"

"At a Parisian school."

"We were marching during this brief dialogue, and at this point the man dropped away from me."

"To make matters worse I received an offer from the Prussians of an immediate exchange as a recognition of the service I had done them. I replied that the only exchange I would accept would be from earth to paradise."

The colonel paused, and his chin sank on his breast. Presently he concluded:

"From that day, general, I have been a snubbed man in the army. Whenever a time for my promotion came round some excuse was found for putting another in my place. Unfortunately, since then, France has been at peace, and I have had no opportunity to redeem my stupidity or get myself killed."

"Rather call it misfortune," interrupted the general.

"No; it was stupidity. At any rate, I shall never forgive myself any more than France will forgive me for failing to see light through an egg with out cracking it. My failure in the army was my own fault."

"Since that episode I have always had a repulsion for an egg. I have never eaten one from that day to this, and the sight of eggs is painful to me. I have disliked to give you the reason why I will not eat them at your table, but have done so that you may excuse my impoliteness in not partaking of what you have provided for me."

"Colonel," said the general after passing some moments in thought, "what you call stupidity is fate. I, a much younger man than you, was the butt of my class at St. Cyr. Now I am a general officer, while you, an honor man, are still a colonel. And why? Fate threw an obstacle in your way; fate gave me a push. When I was a lieutenant Mme. le Marechal, on the staff of whose husband I served, while on the march lost her dog. All of us aids spurred out in different directions to find the little beast. I was the lucky man. I brought it back and received for it in return a recommendation for immediate promotion. So long as Mme. le Marechal is in the army I shall be advanced. I have just received notice of my promotion to lieutenant general."

TEXAS NEEDS GREAT MEN

XXI. QUARRELS

THE neigh of a horse made Darius King of Persia, the six contending powers for the throne agreeing among themselves that the one whose horse should neigh first should possess the kingdom. This ancient method of settling disputes among politicians could be revived with profit in Texas today. If our partisan factions and petty politicians could only settle their disputes by the neigh of a horse, the bark of a dog or the bray of a donkey, it would be a great blessing for Texas and would give our citizens a better opportunity to pursue the vocations of industry free from political strife.



DARIUS MADE KING OF PERSIA.

Let those who pick political plums by raising rows and who flash swords dripping in the blood of industry understand that they cannot turn the public forum into a political arena and by a clash of personal aspirations still the hammer and stop the plow and that their quarrels must be settled in the back alleys of civilization. Texas Needs Great Men.

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ECONOMY—that's one thing you are looking for in these days of high living cost—Calumet insures a wonderful saving in your baking. But it does more. It insures wholesome food, tasty food—uniformly raised food.

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Ballard's SNOW LINIMENT

It neutralizes poisons, subdues inflammation, relaxes contracted muscles and restores healthy conditions. For healing cuts, wounds, burns or scalds, there is nothing like it in the whole list of curative agents. It cures by a mild power that is more effective than the strong, harsh liniments. When rubbed in for rheumatic pains, neuralgia or sciatica, its wonderful penetrating and relieving influence is very gratifying. It is an all-around household liniment that is useful in a thousand ways and its application is always followed by beneficial results.

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Use Stephens Eye Salve for Sore Eyes. It Cures.

W. H. WINDROW.

AGAINST STATEWIDE

LOUISVILLE MINISTER GOES ON RECORD AGAINST STATUTORY PROHIBITION.

Says Laws Can Not Make Men Temperate and Believes in Local Option.

Louisville, Ky.—Dr. E. L. Powell, for twenty years one of the most brilliant ministers in a local pastorate, and a leader in the cause of good government, has gone on record against the principles of prohibitory laws.

In a recent communication to the Louisville Courier-Journal, Dr. Powell says: "Prohibition differentiates culture through restraint as contrasted from culture through liberty. From this standpoint the argument is still against prohibition. Statutory enactment is powerless to make a man love righteousness. It was because the law was a failure, both as prohibitive and injunctive, that the Gospel was given unto man, emphasizing the great truth that not outward conformity to statutory provisions can make character, but only love of the right or obedience to the law because of an educated moralistic preference for the right."

Opposes State-wide.

"I am opposed to state-wide prohibition because legal prohibition does not and can not change the existing and confessedly recognized evils of the liquor traffic. The best that law can do in the realm of moral conduct is to regulate. No prohibitory statute of any kind prohibits. The regulation of the liquor traffic by means of high license, and local option, is the very best that law can do at this time. At one time I was a member of the Anti-Saloon league board of the state, and, although no longer a member of the board, I am just as honestly and sincerely a temperance man, but I have not believed, and do not believe, that the evils of the liquor traffic will ever be eradicated by way of prohibition."

YOUNG MEN TO VOTE.

Governor Believes They Will Kill Prohibition Law.

Augusta, Me.—Gov. Plaisted, of Maine, in a recent interview, declared that nine-tenths of the young men of Maine will vote at the coming election to have the prohibition amendment taken out of the constitution of that state. "The young men of Maine want something else to think of except the rum question," said the governor. "Maine is a state of great and magnificent undeveloped resources, and the time is at hand when the young men of the state are going to develop these resources, but first they desire to get this hypocrisy of the organic law of Maine out of the way. Maine, I believe, is entering upon a new era. We want to be rid of this eternal liquor question, and I feel that the time is now at hand when the voters of Maine will see that it is settled once for all by having it taken from the constitution, for they are tired of trifling with the subject. Personally, I do not favor county option. That would still mean too unwieldy a subject to handle. I prefer the town option plan. Under this latter system the people of Maine would really have self-government and the people could then deal with the problem as it seemed the most desirable in their own localities. When these things come to pass Maine will cease to be a state which is ridiculed because she has laws which are openly violated every day in the year."

STATE TO VOTE.

West Virginia to Decide on Prohibition Amendment to Constitution.

Charlestown, W. Va.—West Virginia is one of the states which will vote soon on state-wide prohibition. An amendment to the constitution to permit the submission of the question to the voters was passed by the last general assembly. The vote will be cast on the proposed prohibition amendment at the general election in 1912. The last election on state-wide prohibition in West Virginia was held 24 years ago, and a prohibition amendment was rejected by a majority of 40,000.

The recent election in Texas, resulting in that state rejecting a prohibition amendment; the return to licensed saloons in Alabama and the action of many "dry" counties in West Virginia in repudiating county option, has resulted in a strong sentiment against the amendment throughout the state. The prohibition leaders, however, have started their campaign by the organization of clubs in the interior counties. They are making efforts to align themselves with one of the two big political parties, but so far both Democrats and Republicans have regarded the issue as a two-edge sword.

REVEREND O. HOEHNICKE'S VIEWS OF PROHIBITION.

Rev. O. Hoehnicke, of Saginaw, Mich., in an address before the Michigan synod of the Evangelical Lutheran church on "Prohibition Viewed in the Light of the Holy Scriptures," said: "Correctly speaking, prohibition is nothing but a new attack upon the freedom of a Christian, inasmuch as through it a yoke is laid upon his neck, similar to the one from which he has been freed, and from which the Christian is in danger of losing his whole liberty."

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Women of the highest type, women of superior education and refinement, whose discernment and judgment give weight and force to their opinions, highly praise the wonderful corrective and curative properties of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Throughout the many stages of woman's life, from girlhood, through the ordeals of motherhood to the declining years, there is no safer or more reliable medicine. Chamberlain's Tablets are sold everywhere at 25c a box.

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Give prompt relief from BACKACHE, KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLE, RHEUMATISM, CONGESTION of the KIDNEYS, INFLAMMATION of the BLADDER and all annoying URINARY IRREGULARITIES. A positive boon to MIDDLE AGED and ELDERLY PEOPLE and for WOMEN.

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S. A. Davis, 67 Washington St., Concordville, Pa., writes: "I have lately suffered much from my kidneys and bladder. That severe backache and my kidney action was too frequent, causing me to lose much sleep at night, and in my bladder there was constant pain. I took Foley Kidney Pills for some time and am now free of all trouble and again able to be up and around. Foley Kidney Pills have my highest recommendation."

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Cabbage seeds for Summer planting for Fall Crops.

Varieties of Cabbage seeds as follows: St. Louis Late Market, Early Summer, Early Dwarf Flat Dutch, Market Gardener's Late Flat Dutch, Early Drumhead, Market Gardener's Late Drumhead, Voiga, the best and leading variety for this section.

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Call on or see our **HONDO REPRESENTATIVE**
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who will be pleased to take you to San Antonio in his automobile, and show you this magnificent property, or you will make no mistake in letting him pick out your lots as he is very familiar with this addition.

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Not An Easy Accomplishment and Worth Boy's While to Practice Feat Carefully.

It is the great ambition of most boy athletes to be graceful and successful hurdlers. Hurdling is not an easy accomplishment and it is worth every boy's while to practice it carefully in order to perform this feat to advantage.

In taking the barrier, the great hurdlers of the present day use the straight leg in front and let the rear leg hang, but at such a height that it will clear the obstacle. Greater effort is used in clearing the high hurdle, which is three feet six inches high. The lower is two feet six inches. On rising from the ground to clear the stick, great attention should be paid to the position of the body and arms, for on landing everything wants to be in readiness for the dash to the next hurdle.

Some athletes use the left foot, while others use the right. In hurd-



Good Form Over Sticks.

ling as in sprinting and high jumping things should also be done naturally.

The hurdles events, 120 yards high and 220 yards low, are essentially sprints. All the best hurdlers have been fast sprinters. To cover any distance in the hurdle races, whether high or low, the greatest agility is needed.

Thus all hurdlers should make sprinting an important part of their training, for otherwise they will not attain their highest speed over the sticks. The hurdler should practice starting just as assiduously as the sprinter.

Although the hurdler must be a fast sprinter, to make a successful hurdler, he must, of course, have good form over the sticks, or he will not be able to bring his speed into play and he will perform disappointingly.

PLEASING TOY FOR THE BOYS

Tee-to-tum Is Handy Little Plaything and Can Be Carried in Pocket—How to Play Game.

Little boy, are you handy with your tools? If so, make this toy. You will find it handy to carry in your pocket and fun to play with. As you will see in the illustration, the round part of the tee-to-tum has 12 sides, each one



A Pleasing Toy.

marked with a number. Through the center is a stick, shaped to suit your taste, only it must be pointed at the bottom, so that it can spin. A good game is to shoot marbles at the tee-to-tum while the thing is in motion. To form a pool, each player puts in about five marbles. The object of the game is to shoot a marble at the spinning tee-to-tum and try to strike it, turn it over and cause it to stop. If this is accomplished, the player gets as many marbles out of the pool as are indicated on the side that falls uppermost.

A Boy's Essay on Breath.

Prof. Emil Otto, the German educator, read at a dinner in Milwaukee an essay on "Breath" that a Milwaukee school teacher had given him as a curiosity. This essay, the work of a boy of nine, ran as follows:

"Breath is made of air. We breathe with our lungs, our lights, our livers, and our kidneys. If it wasn't for breath we would die when we slept. Our breath keeps the life a-going through the nose, when we are asleep. Boys that stay in a room all day should not breathe. They should wait till they get out of doors. Boys in a room make carbonic acid. Carbonic acid is the most poisonous of living things, dead or alive."—The American Boy.

A Centurion Defined.

"Johnny," said the Sunday school teacher to a small pupil, "what is a centurion?"

"He's a feller what rides a hundred miles on a bike," promptly answered Johnny.

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"I was taken with diarrhoea and Mr. Yorks, the merchant here, persuaded me to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Colera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After taking one dose of it I was cured. It also cured others that I gave it to," writes M. E. Gebhart, Oriole, Pa. That is not at all unusual. An ordinary attack of diarrhoea can almost invariably be cured by one or two doses of this remedy. For sale by All Dealers.

No one can stay up all night and feel "fit" next day, although plenty of Young Things are willing to try it.

Uncle Ezra Says

"It don't take more'n a gill uv effort to git folks into a peck of trouble" and a little neglect of constipation, biliousness, indigestion or other liver derangement will do the same. If ailing, take Dr. King's New Life Pills for quick results. Easy, safe, sure, and only 25 cents at W. H. Windrow's.

If it were not for the necessity of earning a living there would be many more people taking the rest cure.

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as heads of large enterprises are men of great energy. Success, today, demands health. To ail is to fail. It's utter folly for a man to endure a weak, run-down, half alive condition when Electric Bitters will put him right on his feet in short order. "Four bottles did me more real good than any other medicine I ever took," writes Chas. B. Allen, Sylvania, Ga. "After years of suffering with rheumatism, liver trouble, stomach disorders, and deranged kidneys, I am again, thanks to Electric Bitters, sound and well." Try them. Only 50 cents at W. H. Windrow's.

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Every year, in many parts of the country, thousands are driven from their homes by coughs and lung diseases. Friends and business are left behind for other climates, but this is costly and not always sure. A better way—the way of multitudes—is to use Dr. King's New Discovery and cure yourself at home. Stay right there, with your friends, and take this safe medicine. Throat and lung troubles find quick relief and health returns. Its help in coughs, colds, grip, croup, whooping-cough and sore lungs make it a positive blessing. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.

Ever since we can remember, boys have been warned against going in swimming in dog days, but none of them paid much attention to the warning.

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If for no other reason, Chamberlain's Salve should be kept in every household on account of its great value in the treatment of burns. It allays the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a severe one, heals the parts without leaving a scar. This salve is also unequalled for chapped hands, sore nipples and diseases of the skin. Price, 25 cents. For sale by All Dealers.

An Atchison woman has her hand in a bandage, and it is said it is because her husband set a mouse trap and put it in his pocket.

Everybody is liable to catch cold but those who give a cold proper attention never have serious lung diseases. It is neglect that makes them serious. Prudent persons use **BALLARD'S HORE-HOUND SYRUP** as soon as the trouble appears and the cold is cured at once. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

A good padlock is superior to a watch dog, and eats considerably less.

A sore throat can be treated best from the outside. The throat should be rubbed gently with **BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT**. Apply at night and cover with a cotton cloth bandage; by morning the soreness will disappear. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

When dancing becomes difficult it means old age, or corns.

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Look at our cook stoves, Holloway Bros.

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Call and see Holloway Bros.' grain drills.

M. S. Koch was here yesterday from D'Hanis.

And, Spratt was down from Tarpley the first of the week.

August Hornung is spending the week in San Antonio.

Make your real estate wants known to us. Hondo Land Co.

A business college scholarship for sale cheap at this office.

Miss Clara Ney spent a few days here the first of the week.

Mrs. Fritz Rothe was here the first of the week from the Seco.

Mrs. Richard Wallrath and daughter were here Thursday from D'Hanis.

A San Antonio Business College Scholarship for sale at this office. tf.

Mrs. J. G. Calhoun was over from D'Hanis the first of the week visiting.

J. B. Ney and Dr. R. E. Rahm were over from D'Hanis Monday on business.

Even your best friends haven't time to do much worrying on your account.

Nothing so completely knocks a contrary man silly as to have you agree with him.

For Rent.—A four room cottage in the south part of Hondo. Apply at this office.

John Hartmann shipped a car load of calves to the San Antonio market Wednesday.

A fine girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Bailey at Devine Friday, September 20th.

Mrs. J. L. Kilian is here from Colorado visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Cruse Turner.

Miss Lois Elder has gone to Denton, Texas, to attend the state Industrial school at that place.

A \$375 piano in good condition will be sacrificed for \$100. Call at this office for particulars.

For Sale.—A half block in the Moer addition to Hondo for \$850.00 on easy terms. Hondo Land Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ignatz Deckert and daughter, Miss Ella, were over from D'Hanis Monday shopping.

FOR SALE.—500 acres of unimproved land at a bargain. For further particulars address Joe Langfeld, D'Hanis, Texas. 6-42.

Lightning struck a hay stack on Albert Pichot's farm during the rain Thursday morning and set it on fire. The fire was extinguished without any great loss.

For Sale.—120 acres, 8 miles from Hondo, 100 acres in cultivation, plenty water, with small house, all under fence, \$25.00—one half cash, balance on time. J. G. HEYEN.

Captain and wife J. D. Smith returned Thursday from a week's stay in San Antonio. The Captain is just recovering from illness sustained a few days ago by a mule falling on him.

Henry R. has received eighteen car loads of cattle from Salinas, Mexico, Tuesday. The cattle are all steers, number 575 head and have been branded and transferred to Mr. Rothe's upper Hondo ranch. Mr. Rothe reports this range in good condition.

FOR SALE.—Nice Cottage near School House. Two lots in West end of town. Also Agent for the cheapest and best land in the South Texas Artesian Belt, Prairie Country, 30 to 40 miles from Gulf, Elevation 270 feet, grows anything, \$25.00 to \$30.00 per acre. See or write H. G. Henderson, Hondo, Texas.

Card of Thanks.

To the Hondo Volunteer Fire Company in particular and to those of my neighbors who so kindly assisted in putting out the fire at my last Saturday morning, thereby saving me from heavy financial loss, I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation. It is a blessing to live among such a generous people, and your kindness on this occasion will ever be remembered and appreciated.

Respectfully,
GEORGE MUENNINK.

Grand Bazaar.

There will be a Grand Bazaar for the benefit of St. Mary's church at La-coste, Oct. 6th. All kinds of amusements for young and old. Refreshments will be served on Biediger's block in front of the church. Come one, come all. Everybody invited.

For Sale Cheap.

One 5 Passenger Auto in fine shape, \$450. See J. H. MEYERS.

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New Fountain Notes.

BY NARRATOR.

ED. ANVIL HERALD: It is seldom that a couple with all of their children living have the pleasure to celebrate their golden wedding. Though, such an event took place in our burg last Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. Derrick Gerdes, surrounded by all of their children and most of their grand-children, celebrated their fifty-first anniversary.

The affair was a surprise to the venerable couple, planned by their children, as they had not thought of celebrating their golden wedding.

It was while the aged couple were attending church that (Sunday) morning that the children assembled at their home with everything in readiness for a grand feast. The old couple were very much surprised when they arrived home to find all of their children there to greet them upon this auspicious occasion.

Mr. Gerdes and wife (nee Theresa Willmann) were married at Cibola valley, September 22, 1861, and shortly thereafter moved to New Fountain where they have since resided. Mr. and Mrs. Gerdes' union was blessed with nine children, six girls and three boys, all of whom are living and were together upon this auspicious occasion. The children are: Mesdames August Barth, M. L. Saathoff, John Buss, F. W. Erck, J. S. Saathoff and A. J. Hoffmann and Messrs. Willie, August and Louis A. Gerdes. All of the children reside in Medina county except Mrs. Hoffmann, who resides in Guadalupe county.

The day was most agreeably spent by all and the honorees were especially delighted with the affair.

The old couple are hale and hearty and are enjoying splendid health with prospects of living to celebrate their diamond wedding.

The young people of this vicinity enjoyed a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Buss last Friday night.

J. G. Karm and family paid a visit to Chas. Senne and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bless returned to their Kinney county home after a two weeks' visit to relatives here.

Hy Buss returned Sunday evening from San Antonio where he had been to visit his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stiegler and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stiegler, Mrs. Amanda Muenink and children and Roland Burge took in the sights at Mico Monday and returned well pleased with their visit there.

The young people enjoyed a dance at the Quini gun club hall at Quini Saturday night, and will again have an opportunity to attend one at Saathoff Bros.' hall at Vandenberg Saturday night.

Miss Minnie Leinweber was here from the upper Hondo Sunday visiting relatives.

Roland Burge returned to San Antonio Tuesday after a pleasant visit to relatives here.

Mrs. Hy. Hartmann is at home again after a several weeks' stay with relatives at Yancey.

Miss Malinda Helmke returned to San Antonio today after a pleasant visit to home folks here.

September 25, 1912.

BIG
Dance!
At Franger and Schmidt's Hall
At Biry!
Saturday Night
Sept. 28th
Everybody Invited!



S. A. LINDSEY.

Tyler, Texas, September—Mr. S. A. Lindsey, chairman of the sub-committee on Production, and Marketing of Farm Products, has been conducting an investigation into the high cost of marketing, on behalf of the Welfare Commission. There have been shipped out from this city this season 1,571 carloads of peaches to out-of-state points and the last end of the crop rotted on the ground for want of a market, although the consumer was anxious for the fruit.

A great deal of the Texas product goes to Colorado and Mr. Lindsey's investigation into market conditions at Colorado points shows peaches that the Texas producer gets sixty cents per bushel for packed and delivered f. o. b. Tyler at a cost of twenty-seven cents for picking, packing and hauling, sell to the Colorado consumer at \$3.75 per bushel, and when the market drops to \$3.42 per bushel the Texas farmer gets nothing for his peaches. The cost per bushel of marketing a bushel of peaches in Boulder, a common point with Denver, is distributed as follows: Picking, 2 cents; packing, 2 cents; package, 20 cents; hauling, 3 cents; freight, 40 cents; icing, 15 cents; handling after reaching Colorado, \$2.60; total, \$3.42. It follows that peaches which sell to the Colorado consumer for \$3.75 brought the Texas producer 33 cents.

The cost of handling the peaches after they get to Colorado is more than four times the cost f. o. b. Tyler, and nearly five times the cost of the freight and icing charges added together.

This situation exists to a greater or lesser degree with all perishable farm products, and many that are not strictly perishable.

The high cost of marketing reflects its results upon Texas producers in that it lessens the consumption of the quantity and reduces prices below the cost of production.

An Appreciation.

Cleburne, Texas, Sept. 25, 1912.
Mr. Fletcher Davis,
Hondo, Texas.

Dear Mr. Davis:

I have your letter with \$15.00 enclosure, the same covering donations of democrats as per your itemized statement therewith, for which I wish to thank you and each donor right heartily. This is an unmistakable evidence that the contributors fully appreciate the fact that our party is making a heroic effort to restore a genuine people's government, and that, under such circumstances, they must rely wholly upon the people for financial aid.

Your patriotic efforts in this behalf encourage me to request that you continue your good work and I trust that you will be able to impress upon your people the importance of liberality, for I am advised from National Headquarters that the Committee is greatly in need of funds.

Always when making remittances, indicate the name of contributor and amount contributed so that when reporting same I can see to it that all are given credit for their patriotic service and for their contributions.

My reports from headquarters are very gratifying. It certainly looks like Governor Wilson will be the next President of the United States.

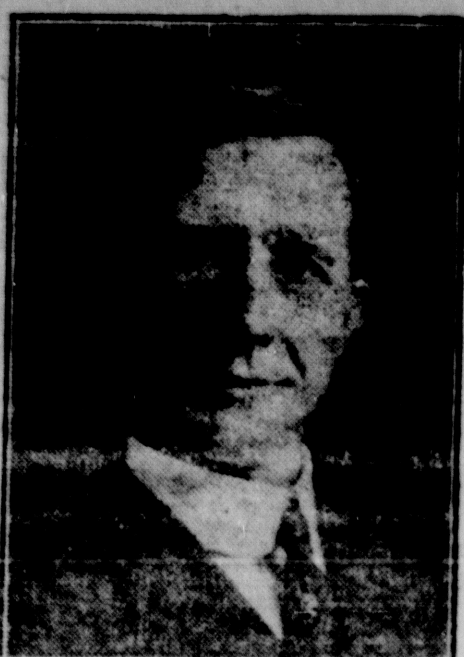
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HON. B. F. LOONEY.

Hon. B. F. Looney, successful candidate for Attorney General, has announced that the policy of the legal department during his term of office will be that of co-operation with the commercial, agricultural and industrial interests of the state in the development of our resources and that he will hold up the arms of the Governor in the performance of his duties.

"Every good citizen must stand for the enforcement of the laws," said Mr. Looney, in discussing the policy of his department, "but no man with good sense and proper motives would want to disturb an investment, hinder or frighten capital from our state or do otherwise than encourage all proper development of our resources. While I stand for the enforcement of law, about the wisdom and policy of which I have nothing to do, I do not propose to use the great power of the office of Attorney General for any purpose other than to execute the law and in no sense in a demagogic or ill-advised spirit."

No department of government is more influential in either accelerating or throttling progress, than that of the Attorney General, and in standing for a sensible enforcement of the law, Mr. Looney shows a keen appreciation of the responsibilities and possibilities of the office, a clear understanding of the needs of state government and a patriotic desire to serve the people honestly, faithfully and intelligently. When the policy outlined by Mr. Looney is made effective it will result in improved public highways, more interurban lines, better rural schools, more steam roads and better facilities for the transportation of products, opening of our mines and development of our latent agricultural resources.

Bader Settlement Dots.

By BOOBY.

ED. ANVIL HERALD:—H. G. Boehle of Quini and J. G. Bohlen of Dunlay were seen here Sunday.

All from here who attended the dance at Quini Saturday night were: Wm. Reitzer and family, Hy. Schulte and family, Louis Burger and daughter, Lena, Misses Louisa Schott, Rose Riff, Maggie Reitzer and Hulda Schulte, Messrs. Ed. Riff, Anton and George Burger, and Paul Schott. All reported a fine time.

Wm. Burger was over from Dunlay one day last week.

Mrs. John Hutzler attended the funeral of the late Chas. Hitzfelder Sunday.

Sunday afternoon was pleasantly spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nic. Hutzler. Refreshments were served during the afternoon. Those present were: Nic. Hutzler and wife, Aug. Hutzler and wife, Jos. A. Riff and family, Ad. Biediger and family, John Hutzler and family, Jac. Hutzler and family, Misses Rose Riff, Frieda and Mary Hutzler and Messrs. W. J. Brucks and E. N. Riff.

Ed. Hutzler and family were visiting at Wm. Reitzer's Sunday.

Bader Settlement, Sept. 24, 1912.

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